

Docket No.: 13762 US (C38435/109729)

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: )  
Scott W. VAN ARSDELL, et al. ) Examiner: Delia M. Ramirez  
Serial No.: 08/914,332 ) Art Unit: 1652  
Filed: July 15, 1997 )  
For: **OVERCOMING DAPA** )  
**AMINOTRANSFERASE BOTTLENECKS IN**  
**BIOTIN VITAMERS BIOSYNTHESIS**

New York, New York  
February 13, 2003

TRANSMITTAL OF PROPOSED DRAWING CORRECTIONS

Commissioner For Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231  
Sir:

In accordance with 37 CFR § 121(d) and MPEP § 608.02(p) and at the request of the Examiner, (see Office Action mailed August 13, 2002, Paper No. 33 at 3), the attached corrected drawing figures (see Exhibit 1) are submitted for consideration. It is respectfully requested that the Examiner enter corrected figures 1-4 in this application. It is not believed that this transmittal occasions any fee, but should there be any fee, please charge the same to Deposit Account No. 02-4467. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

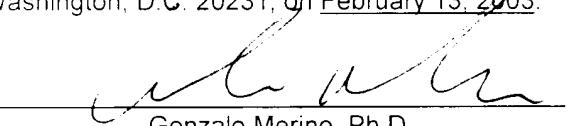
The corrections to figures 1-4 are as follows:

- a. figures 1-4 have been reformatted to correct the sizes of the margins in order to conform to the requirements of 37 CFR § 1.84(g).
- b. all of the numbers and reference characters in figures 3 and 4 have been reproduced in a plain and legible manner in order to conform to the requirements of 37 CFR § 1.84(p).

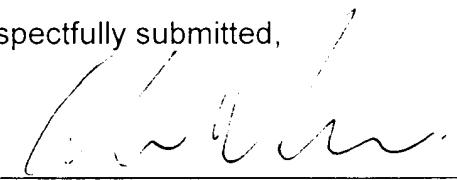
We note that the corrections are to the margins and to the legibility of the text and that these corrections cannot be readily shown in red ink.

It is submitted that the entry of the corrections to Figures 1-4 does not introduce new matter, and is proper. See 37 CFR § 121(f). Accordingly, entry of the attached corrected drawing figures in the above referenced application, respectfully is requested. If the Examiner has any questions regarding this paper, please contact the undersigned.

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to Commissioner For Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231, on February 13, 2003.

  
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